

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

CLAIRE YUHAS,

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:16-CV-1603

Plaintiff,

(JUDGE CAPUTO)

v.

TOYOTA MOTOR CORP.,

Defendant.

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

A case management conference was conducted in the above-captioned matter on November 2, 2016. Participating on behalf of Plaintiff was Stewart D. Matthews, Esquire. Participating on behalf of Defendant was Dennis P. Ziembra, Esquire. The purpose of this Order is to set forth the pretrial schedule established as a result of the conference. **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

1. Pursuant to the Expense and Delay Reduction Plan adopted by this court, this case is assigned to the "standard" case management track, and shall be placed on the January, 2018 trial list of this court. **The trial will not be continued because the parties wish to mediate or engage in other alternative dispute resolution. Any mediation or alternative dispute resolution should take place so as not to cause a request for a delay of the trial.**

2. The final date to join additional parties is **December 9, 2016**. The final date to amend pleadings for Plaintiff is **February 16, 2017** and for Defendant **March 16, 2017**.

3. The parties will notify the Court of the selection of a mediator no later than **April 1, 2017** so that a mediation can take place in **June, 2017**.

4. All fact discovery shall be completed by **June 9, 2017**. Expert discovery shall be concluded on or before **November 16, 2017**. **Continuing with discovery beyond the cutoff dates in this Case Management Order will not delay trial.**

5. Plaintiff shall comply with the requirements of Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2) with respect to expert witnesses no later than **June 23, 2017**. Defendants shall comply with the requirements of Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2) with respect to expert witnesses no later than **July 31, 2017**. **Supplemental expert reports shall be due within 30 days after receipt of any new or undisclosed expert opinions.**

6. Disclosures required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(3) shall be made by **July 9, 2017**.

7. Dispositive motions, together with supporting briefs, shall be filed by **July 9, 2017**. The deadline for in limine motions will be set by further order of this Court.

8. A pretrial conference will be held in **December, 2017**, date and time to be announced, in my chambers, Suite 235, Max Rosenn United States Courthouse, 197 South Main Street, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania. Since settlement will be discussed at the pretrial conference, counsel and/or others with settlement authority shall be present at the pretrial conference.

9. No discovery motions shall be filed until after the disputing parties have conferred with the court in an effort to resolve the discovery dispute. The discovery

conference with the court may be conducted by telephone at the request of any of the disputing parties.

10. The Court will take no action based on correspondence. Counsel must adhere to the motion practice set forth in the rules.

Date: November 14, 2016


A. RICHARD CAPUTO
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE